Climate Action at the World Bank

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Goals of Session

- World Bank Group to Climate Action
- Evolution Roadmap
- PMIF Carbon Pricing & Markets
- Introduction to CSF and SCALE







Climate Action at the WBG – Approach in Light of Context

- Reversal in development outcomes
- Fiscal constraints; debt sustainability challenges; ultra low interest rates no more
- Urgent need for action on climate \$2.4 trillion
- Client Demand
- Shareholder expectations more to GPG > Evolution Roadmap







WBG Climate Change Action Plan



Pillars

- 1. Integrating climate and development
- 2. Advancing the five key system transitions (energy; agriculture, food, water, and land; cities; transport; manufacturing)
- 3. Financing to support the key transitions

Commitments

- Climate Finance targets
- Paris Alignment
- Climate Analytics & Diagnostics







Impact – Finance

IBRD AND IDA COMMITMENTS 2013 - 2022 (\$ BILLION)



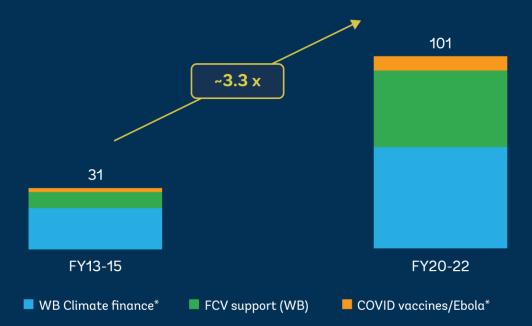






Impact – GPG Finance

GPG FINANCING HAS MORE THAN TRIPLED OVER THE LAST DECADE WORLD BANK SUPPORT FOR SELECT GPGS (\$ BILLIONS)



FCV: Fragility, Conflict and Violence

Note: Nets off overlapping support in FCV financing, COVID financing, Ebola response and climate financing







Impact – Climate Finance

IBRD AND IDA CLIMATE FINANCING 2013-2022 (\$ BILLION)



Note: Calendar year data; Numbers may not sum due to rounding







Climate Analytics & Knowledge

Frontier thinking on mitigation and adaptation

- Groundswell: Acting on Internal Climate Migration
- Lifelines: The Resilient Infrastructure Opportunity

• The Adaptation Principles



FY22-25

Total = 66 CCDRs, covering 92 countries



CCAP







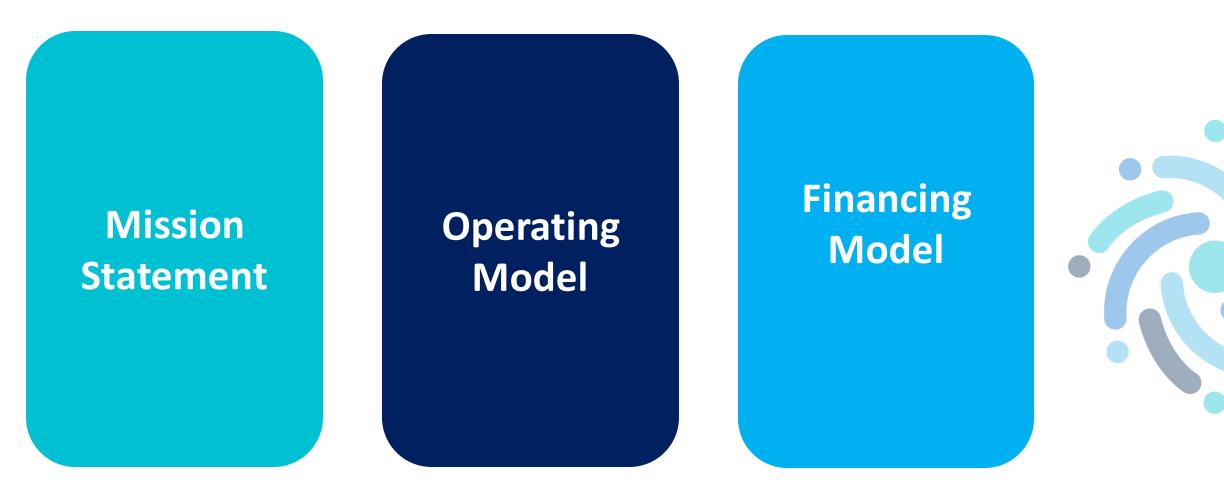
100% of World Bank financing flows aligned with the goals of the Paris Agreement by July 1, 2023







Evolution Roadmap



Coordination and collaboration with partners







Climate - Priorities Moving Forward







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Supporting Domestic Carbon Pricing and Carbon Markets







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Thank you

Evolution of the WBG

- Unprecedented confluence of global crises that has upended development progress and threatens people and the planet
- The World Bank Group must evolve the WBG Governors have called for intensified action
- The urgency of action continues to escalate given the vast and increasing needs related to poverty reduction and shared prosperity, as well as to respond to accelerating global challenges such as climate change, pandemic risk, and fragility, conflict, and violence.





Mobilization of Concessional Resources

- Focus on IDA20 implementation
- IDA continues to be main source of concessional financing for climate change.
- Limited concessional financing available for MICs.





Private Capital Enabling & Facilitation

- Policy advice and lending that support economy-wide and sector-specific reforms
- Help build pipelines of investible projects
- Creating a market of investment grade securities that will provide institutional investors better access to EMDE infrastructure debt





Scaling Up Climate Finance

| Integrating Climate | |
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| and development | |

CLIMATE

ACTION

- Country Climate & Development Reports (CCDR)
- State & Trends Report and Carbon Pricing Hub; Climate Policies Assessment Tool
- Supporting countries on adaptation and resilience planning and capacity building
- Promoting inclusive development and climate policies

Supporting low-carbon and resilient paths

- Results-based Climate Finance supports GHG emissions reduction from Forestry and Blue Carbon to Energy Access, Climate Smart Agriculture, Green Loans and Subsidy Reform.
- Monitoring reporting & verification processes (MRV)
- Long-term Low Emissions Development Strategies (LTSs)

Innovating to mobilize private investment

- Access to carbon markets and private sector buyers
- End-to-end digital ecosystem and infrastructure for carbon markets
- Green bonds, instruments and business models for carbon finance